

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BONUTTI, Peter M.

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For: Apparatus and Method for Tissue Removal

Examiner: HOFFMAN, Mary C.

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AMENDMENT

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Examiner Hoffman:

Responsive to the Office action dated October 4, 2007, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.